



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 191

February Session, 2016



AN ACT CONCERNING INSTALLERS OF RESIDENTIAL STAIR LIFTS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Not later than December
2 31, 2016, the Commissioner of Consumer Protection, after consultation
3 with the Elevator Installation, Repair and Maintenance Board
4 established pursuant to section 20-331 of the general statutes, shall
5 adopt regulations, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 54 of
6 the general statutes, to establish a residential stair lift technician's
7 license. Such regulations shall include, but need not be limited to, (1)
8 the amount and type of experience, training, continuing education and
9 examination requirements, if any, for a person to obtain and renew
10 such license, and (2) a requirement that an applicant for such license
11 provide proof that he or she has received a certification from a
12 manufacturer of residential stair lifts to install and repair such
13 residential stair lifts.

14 (b) The initial fee for a residential stair lift technician's license shall
15 be one hundred fifty dollars and the renewal fee for such license shall
16 be seventy-five dollars. Licenses shall be valid for a period of one year
17 from the date of issuance.

18 (c) Nothing in this section shall prohibit the holder of an
19 occupational license issued pursuant to chapter 393 of the general

20 statutes that allows the installation and repair of residential stair lifts
21 from performing such work. A holder of such occupational license
22 shall not be required to obtain a residential stair lift technician's
23 license.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

GL *Joint Favorable Subst.*